In the Specification:

- Please replace the paragraph on page 1, lines 5-10, which starts with "The present invention is directed . . .", with the following text:

The present invention is directed at a PDA enabled telephone system which eliminates the necessity of a PC and allows the PDA user to control operation of [[a]] the telephone system directly from the PDA via a telephone set, which functions as a portal to the telephone system. Thus, any PDA enabled set can by controlled by a PDA and the user is not required to be at a specific location before using the PDA to dial a telephone number. The PDA controls the telephone system via telephony applications stored within. Moreover, these applications may be downloaded to the PDA for use with the PDA enabled set.

- Please replace the paragraph on page 1, line 32 to page 2, line 1, which starts with "In addition, synchronization . . .", with the following text:

In addition, synchronization of PDA databases and applications with a PC or server based database (i.e., Hot Syncing) is accomplished by communications through the telephone, which, as discussed above, functions as a network portal.

- Please replace the paragraph on page 3, lines 8-9, which starts with "Figure 1 shows . . .", with the following text:

Figure 1 shows a preferred embodiment of a PDA and PDA enabled telephone system in accordance with the present invention;

- Please replace the paragraph on page 3, lines 11-14, which starts with "Figure 2 provides . . .", with the following text:

Figure 2 provides at a top portion thereof a block diagram showing a protocol for communications between the PDA and telephone system of Figure 1 and at a bottom portion thereof a datagram showing the structure of a packet of information exchanged between the PDA and telephone set of Figure 1;

- Please replace the paragraph on page 3, lines 16-17, which starts with "Figure 3 is . . .", with the following text:

Figure 3 is a block diagram of a PDA enabled telephone [[set]] system in accordance with the present invention implemented within a TDM network configuration; and

- Please replace the paragraph on page 3, lines 19-20, which starts with "Figure 4 is . . .", with the following text:

  Figure 4 is a block diagram of a PDA enabled telephone [[set]] system in accordance with the present invention implemented within an IP based network.

- Please replace the paragraph on page 3, lines 24-26, which starts with "The present invention is . . .", with the following text:

  The present invention is directed at a personal digital assistant (PDA) enabled telephone system. Turning to Figure 1, a schematic illustration is provided of a PDA enabled telephone system in accordance with the present invention.